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U. S. MOTHER ENDS VISIT TO SON IN RED JAIL

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An American widow, Mrs.
Ruth Redmond, 64, today left on
the first leg of her trip home
after her first visit in four
years to her son with who is
serving a life sentence for alleged spying.

Redmond, 42, has been in jail for 11 years. A wartime paratrooper, he was arrested in China while working for an export-import firm and is one of four Americans still held in Chinese jails.

Last week, his mother wrote to Mao Tse-Tung, Chinese communist Leader, appealing for her son's release, but before leaving said she had received no reply. Mrs. Redmond plans to stay in Hong Kong a few days before flying to the United States in hope of receiving a reply from Mao.